NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD SAN DIEGO REGION

REVISED TENTATIVE CLEANUP AND ABATEMENT ORDER NO. R9-2005-0126 (SAN DIEGO BAY SHIPYARD SEDIMENT CLEANUP MATTER)

By order dated October 27, 2009, the Presiding Officer for Prehearing Proceedings in the matter of Tentative Cleanup and Abatement Order No. R9-2005-0126 directed that the San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board (San Diego Water Board) Shipyard Cleanup Team release a revised draft Cleanup and Abatement Order (CAO) and revised draft Technical Report in the above matter on or before December 22, 2009. Release of the revised draft CAO and revised draft Technical Report will start a 90-day public comment period, with written comments on both documents due to the San Diego Water Board, Advisory Team, on or before March 22, 2010. Hearing date(s) for San Diego Water Board consideration of the revised draft CAO and revised draft Technical Report will be established in a future ruling.

Written comments on the revised draft CAO and revised draft Technical Report are due no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, March 22, 2010. Written comments must be mailed, faxed, or delivered to the San Diego Water Board office, attention Frank Melbourn, Water Resources Control Engineer, at 9174 Sky Park Court, Suite 100, San Diego, California, 92123; telephone 858-467-2952; fax 858-571-6972. Comments may also be submitted by e-mail to fmelbourn@waterboards.ca.gov subject to the above time deadlines and as long as the total submittal (including attachments) does not exceed 20 printed pages in length. To facilitate timely web-posting of all comments, the San Diego Water Board requests that all comments also be submitted electronically or on CD.

Information related to these matters, including the revised draft CAO and revised draft Technical Report, will be available on the San Diego Water Board's web page at http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego/water_issues/programs/shipyards_sediment/in dex.shtml. For questions regarding this notice, please contact Catherine George Hagan at (858) 467-2958 or by email at chagan@waterboards.ca.gov. Please bring the above information to the attention of anyone you know who may be interested in this matter.

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ADVISORY TEAM December 22, 2009